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MINING BOARD.—M Valley 8, Am Flag 2¼, Big Patch 2, Leopard 11, Mansfield 6¼, Maney 10, Poorman 4½, Kossuth 2¼, Andes 5¼, Niagara 50, Ray & Ely 54½, Pioche West 5¼, Peruvian 2¼, Jefferson 7¼, S Chariot 2c, G Chariot 6c, Alta 4¼, O G Hill 3¼, Wells, Fargo 35c, Leviathan 1¼, Eureka Con 28, Belmont 4¼, Wm Root 25c, Chariot M 1, Ellmore 3¼, War Eagle 6, Woodville 2, C P Ravine ¼, N Carson 3, Prospect 2¼.

Greenbacks, 87½ buying; 88 selling.

Owing to the telegraph line being down we are without our usual dispatches.

THE VINELAND TRAGEDY.

FURTHER DETAILS OF THE AFFAIR—CARRUTH STILL ALIVE, BUT SINKING FAST—THE ANTECEDENTS OF THE MEN.

[From the New York Sunday World.]

VINELAND, March 20.—Professor Goes, of Philadelphia, made an attempt to find the ball in the head of Carruth this afternoon, but was unable to do so. Carruth retains consciousness and fully realizes his condition, but refused to make a deposition before a coroner. The dispatches published in certain quarters that Landis never was in danger of lynching is untrue. It was only by flanking the gathering crowd that the danger was escaped. Vineland, as I intimated in my dispatch yesterday, has long been split into factions, the division dating back to 1868. The leaders of the two parties were Charles K. Landis, with the Weekly as his organ, and Uri Carruth, who, as the editor of the *Independent*, indulged in the most venomous abuse and personalities. These two men never agreed upon anything, no matter how trivial it might be.

The culminating point was reached in the last issue of the *Independent*, dated March 18. Although there is a careful avoidance of names in the article, no one in Vineland could mistake the parties aimed at. Mrs. Landis picked up the paper yesterday morning, and cutting the article therefrom handed it to her husband, and said: "Charles, how much longer must we stand this abuse?" Landis read it twice and instantly became very much excited and indignant. Catching up his hat, he rushed out of the house and went straight to the editorial office, which was only a few doors distant. "Where's Carruth?" he demanded of the office boy, who replied that he was out. "Hunt him up!" he commanded, pacing angrily back and forth. The lad found Carruth in the drug store below, and told him Landis was waiting up stairs to see him. "I wonder whether he means fight?" he muttered as he left the store and darted up the steps. As he entered his office Landis thrust the offensive article in his face and demanded to know whether he wrote it. "Yes, sir, I did," answered Carruth, "and I intend writing many more." At this Landis became ungovernable with passion, and drawing his revolver aimed at Carruth. The latter dodged and ran into the composing room, making for the back door, with Landis in hot pursuit. While Carruth was in the act of opening the door Landis fired. His victim started convulsively and fell flat on the floor, face downward and ... The four employes fled, terror stricken, shouting and gesticulating, and a crowd quickly gathered. "I've killed him! I had to kill him! I was obliged to do it. I killed him in the cause of God and humanity. I am sorry and hope he won't die!" exclaimed Landis, realizing what he had done.

Uri Carruth is a native of New York, and is in his fiftieth year. He graduated at Hamilton College, and was admitted to the bar at Berlin, Wis., where he subsequently established the Green Lake *Spectator*. In 1868, he purchased the Vineland *Independent*. He was known as a vindictive, combative person, aggressive in manner and relentless in his enmity. His family consists of a wife and five children. His life was insured for $6,000.

Charles K. Landis is known both in this country and Europe as the founder of Vineland. He is forty-one years of age, and has a large family. He studied law with B. H. Brewster, of Philadelphia, and was admitted to the bar before reaching maturity. With a Mr. Burns he started the town of Hammonton, N. J., but in 1861 he sold out his interest and purchased the Vineland tract of 50,000 acres, then little more than a sandy barren and wilderness, but which to-day has a population of nearly fifteen thousand. The particulars of his somewhat romantic marriage with the daughter of Commodore Meade, seven years ago, will be remembered by all. The Commodore bitterly opposed the match, and was incarcerated for a time in Bloomingdale Asylum. Landis visited Europe last year, and his wealth is estimated at a little short of a million. There seems no possibility that Carruth can last much longer.

DECISION IN AN IMPORTANT COTTON CASE.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Judge Richardson, in the court of claims, to-day delivered the opinion in the case Alphonse Desmare against the United States, it being a claim for cotton. The conclusion reached is: First, the claimant's domicile, found to have been in the city of New Orleans before the war, and not proven to have been changed, is presumed to have continued and been in that city when the purchases of cotton were made by him within the rebel lines. Second, the claimant's domicile being in the city of New Orleans, he is presumed to have been there personally, until he is proved to be elsewhere, and the claimant not showing that he was absent from the place of his domicile when that city was captured April 27, 1862, it is presumed that he was there at that time, and subsequently crossed the Federal lines. About the time he is proved to be in the parish of St. Landry. Third, the purchase of cotton by the claimant under the circumstances set forth in the finding were void as against the law and public policy of the United States, and he acquired no title to the property thereby. The opinion concludes as follows: "Although the public enemies within their own disloyal territory have a right to make contracts among themselves, and such contracts are held valid in other countries, we do not think the claimant acquired that right by leaving the city of his domicile and residence after it had been six months in the possession of the Federal forces, crossing into insurgent territory, and then accepting office under the Confederate Government, as an agent for the exchange of its bonds, especially as it does not appear that he intended to desert wholly to the enemy and to take up his domicile in their territory. On principle and theory we are of the opinion the claimant is not entitled to recover." Judge Loring dissented, saying among other things: "The only objection made to the petitioner's recovery is that the sales of cotton to him were made between enemies, and are therefore absolutely void. On the whole case I think the sales in question are valid in law, because the petitioner and those with whom he dealt in them were Confederates in fact and name, and all alike enemies of the United States when the sales were made in October, 1862, and I think that is the time to which the question of the validity of the sales is to be referred and the only time material to it."

A letter from Union to the Baker City *Democrat* says: The winter exhausted our supply of hay and a great number of stock are now dying. Hides are worth two or three dollars each, and our country lads are following the feebler class of cattle around with a butcher-knife and whet-stone. Right! Make them pay for their wintering.

THE TERRITORIES.

A prodigious tooth, apparently belonging to the Mastodon family, has been picked up near Laramie.

A company of cavalry is to be stationed in the Ferris mining district this summer, to keep off Indians.

The survey of the route of the Puyallup Valley Railroad, under the control of Engineer Hale, was to commence last week.

A party of surveyors passed through Baker City last week en route to the Malheur reservation for the purpose of surveying the same.

Col. James Sawyer, who colonized a large party of emigrants in Montana, is heading a party of gold-hunters bound for the Black Hills.

With last week the Tacoma *Tribune* enters upon the XVth volume. But one other paper in the Territory is older, and that one but by a few weeks.

A Mr. Brandes, living near Fort Collins, was burned out of house and home the other day. The fire occurred in the night, and the family barely had time to escape with what clothes they had on.

On Wednesday of last week the bark *Caroline Reed* sailed from Tacoma for San Francisco, carrying out a cargo of 463,000 feet of lumber and 138,000 laths, consigned to Hanson, Ackerman & Co.

The third mail of the week on the Sound route, hitherto extending from Olympia to Seattle, has been abridged, we understand, to Tacoma and Seattle, and will not go beyond either place hereafter.

According to the *Dispatch*, the Catholics are to establish, in Seattle, an institution to be called the "Bay View College." It will be one-fourth of a mile back from the water and one mile from Yesler's wharf.

Charles Williamson, one of a gang of counterfeiters who recently escaped from the Utah penitentiary, was recaptured at Evanston, Wyoming, a few days since, and has been delivered to the Salt Lake authorities.

Winter suddenly sat down in the lap of spring at Salt Lake last week and the *Tribune* says: "The mosquitoes that were humming so playfully a few days ago now sleep peacefully beneath the pure white snow."

The only horror chronicled by the latest files of New Mexican papers is the finding of a dead body, with the skull caved in, near Santa Fe. Little things like that are scarcely considered worth reporting down there.

The Greeley *Sun* tells about a hydrophobic coyote which invaded the premises of Mr. P. Henderson, a ranchman in the Platte valley, biting his chickens, dogs and hogs, from the effects of which they all died nine days afterward.

The Walla Walla *Spirit* learns that near the foot of the mountains, and along the streams in the valley the grass is growing finely, and that stock of all kinds can get an abundance for feed. In a few weeks we may expect to see plenty of fat cattle.

Arizona hens are accustomed to laying eggs worth $4 a dozen, and the gentle Susan B., inclining her head a little to one side, and argumentatively flourishing her right arm, exclaims, "See what even hens can do when they have their rights!"

Two varieties of sandstone have been discovered on the headwaters of the Puyallup river. They are both of unsurpassed quality for building, and the railroad that leads to the bituminous and anthracite coal ledges of that vicinity will pass close by inexhaustible deposits of this stone.

We are informed that hay is selling at $75 per ton in the vicinity of Silver City, I. T. From the same source we learn that freighters who wintered in that neighborhood have lost a great number of work cattle during the winter for want of feed. Also that a band of 500 work cattle, while crossing Snake river on the ice in search of water, broke through and were lost.

The Tacoma *Tribune* says: "The 15th of May has been set for the starting from Philadelphia of a party of directors of the Northern Pacific railroad and Tacoma Land Companies. Among the number will be Gen. Cass, the president of the railroad company. Allowing the party ample time for all delays on the way, they may be expected in Tacoma on or before the 10th of June. We are assured that their visit is associated with the resumption of railroad operations in this Territory."

The U. S. steam lighthouse tender *Shubrick* ran into the railroad wharf at Tacoma last Friday afternoon, where she lay all that night. While there she took on board thirty tons of coal, brought from the Tenino mine for her to test in the making of steam, while on her official visit to the light-houses of this district. On Saturday morning, off the mill wharf, the *Shubrick* picked up an iron buoy that had broken from its moorings opposite Steilacoom, and was brought down to Tacoma by the *Black Diamond*.

A party of seven men started out from the new town of Tacoma on Tuesday last to further explore the coal region of the upper Puyallup. The latest excitement from that quarter is occasioned by the alleged discovery of anthracite. Several specimens have been brought down which have stood the tests and been pronounced by experts to be of that quality. They are said to have been obtained from the more remote portions of the field, at a distance from town of 20 to 30 miles well up into the foothills of the Cascade mountains.

The iron for the Walla Walla and Columbia Railroad is now being rapidly taken forward to Wallula, and the work of track-laying began on Monday of last week. Near one hundred men are now employed on the road, and the work is being pushed forward with commendable efforts. The grading is already finished to within six miles of Walla Walla, and the mill is running both day and night, cutting ties and stringers for the road. The company are at present receiving no freight either way, but as soon as the iron track reaches the Touchet station, they will commence receiving freight both ways.

"Nobody," says the *News*, "has any idea how many lawyers there are in Denver. Their number is legion. All sorts of legal lights, old and young, silly and smart, soft and rugged, have flocked there 'like doves to their windows.' The aspiring and despairing alike have rushed to Denver as a Mecca of hope. One is puzzled to know where all the lawyers come from, and wonders if there are any left anywhere else. A railroad conductor told a *News* reporter, recently, that of all the passengers he has brought over the plains this winter four-fifths were lawyers coming to Denver to stay. He probably stretched the truth a little. But, seriously, some of the lawyers must scatter or starve, and the starving process is a slow one."

RICH MEN WITH POOR BUT HONEST PARENTS. Sir John Crossley, during a political canvass in Halifax, publicly referred to the fact that his mother was a servant girl on small wages. The story, as told to me, is that this girl was receiving £6 a year, but that, being very thrifty, she had managed to save up a little fortune, amounting in all to £40. Mr. Crossley, who married her, had nothing at all. On the £40 they set up a shop, in which various useful things were sold, the business being entirely conducted by the wife. Having gained more money by that means, the business was gradually enlarged, until finally they resolved to restrict it to a special article—carpets. Next followed the project of a single loom; the one loom multiplied itself into a small room full. Then they bought the patent of the American Bigelow loom, and this seems to have caused their business to enlarge very rapidly. The first poor little building with which they began—a picture of it is kept in a frame—expanded like a magical tree, and now their establishments have spread into a town of their own, the buildings being connected by high bridges passing above the streets. They employ 5,000 hands, and their machinery is turned by seven steam engines, representing an aggregate power of 3,000 horses.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

OREGON.

The road over the Siskiyous is said to be simply terrible.

Only four lots of the original town-site of Pendleton remain unsold.

The people about Linkville are catching wagon loads of splendid trout in Wetass creek.

F. E. Ruboll and Clarence Hedges have dissolved their connection with the Dallas *Itemizer*.

The spring term at Baker City Academy will close April 23d. The summer term will commence April 26 and continue till July 2d, under the charge of the present instructors, Prof. and Mrs. S. P. Barrett.

An assay made by Dr. Woodruff, of Roseburg, of the Canyonville ledge, produced as follows on the blue quartz per ton: Gold, $6 50, allowing 30 cents to the grain; traces of silver, of metal, arsenic, antimony and copper.

Samuel B. Cranston, formerly of Ashland, has been appointed register of the Linkville land office. We have not heard whether Mr. Small, the former register, has resigned or been removed. So says the Jacksonville *Times*.

Albert Johnson, a mulatto, at Jacksonville, was last week arrested by Deputy Sheriff Kent and Marshal McDaniel, for breaking open Horace Rice's house, on Rogue river, last October, and taking some firearms, etc., therefrom.

Union proposes to run two Sunday schools this summer. The Methodist Sunday school organized on last Sunday. F. Shoemaker was elected Superintendent, W. T. Wright Assistant, Geo. Heininger Secretary, and S. Miller Librarian.

Governor Grover has commissioned the following named persons, who had been elected officers of Company F, 1st Brigade, O. S. M., at Empire City: Morton Tower, Captain; T. S. Owen, 1st Lieutenant; William Saunders, 2d Lieutenant.

The Pendleton *Tribune* says: "Indian horses can be had all the way from $10 to $30 and $40. Indians happy now—plenty of salmon, grass and other luxuries, and weather mild and genial; consequently, blankets and breech-clouts at a discount."

H. Kelly, Esq., informs the *Times* that he learns that Samuel Stockton found a nugget of pure gold near his claim on Coyote creek the other day, which weighed two pounds. Henry Smith paid $17 an ounce for it, or $408 in all, which is a very nice sum to pick up now-a-days.

A Linkville correspondent of the *Times* says: "It is supposed by some that there is in this locality a regularly organized band of horse thieves, all of which is certainly a very unjust charge and without any foundation whatever; and further, I do not think that Col. J. N. T. Miller, Samuel Colver, or any one else, has lost any horses by being stolen."

The Salem *Record* says: "Yesterday there was not a single pound of butter for sale in Salem. Families went butterless to bed all because the unfeeling butter-makers were busy plowing, and sowing, and planting, and could not find time to come to town with supplies. The grange meeting to-day spread our bread with a thin covering, and made it go down easier, but it cost 50 cents a pound to do it."

For several days last week Umatilla river was on the rampage. In many places it overflows its banks. The wells in Pendleton are "chock-full;" ravines and basins which have been dry for two years past are full of water, and scores of hilarious frogs croak the livelong night. The Pendleton bridge has, so far, stood the terrible strain most admirable. A prodigious volume of water, going at the rate of 15 and 18 miles an hour, has dashed against its piers and buttresses, without affecting it in the least degree.

The *Itemizer* says: "A very frightful accident occurred on the farm of Mr. D. Grant, who lives about a mile from Dallas, on the Independence road; the particulars, as near as we can learn, are as follows: Mr. Grant was harrowing a piece of ground near the road with a team belonging to a Mr. Miller, and the horses became frightened at some calves in the road, and Mr. Grant, in trying to turn the horses around, broke one of the checks, and at this moment the horses started across the field, the harrow following, at a lively pace. The horses ran about 300 yards and upset the harrow, two of the harrow teeth sticking into the side of one of the horses, which soon dropped dead, the other animal was not hurt very bad. Mr. Miller is a poor man, and deserves the sympathy of his neighbors in his loss."

AN ALLEGED CONFESSION.

THE PRIVATE OPINION OF THE EDITOR OF THE EAGLE.

[Brooklyn Argus, March 20th.]

A writer in the Brooklyn *Review* relates a conversation which he says he held with Thomas Kinsella:

When Theodore Tilton was prosperous and influential he wasn't the sort of a man for me to admire. I thought him a conceited, disagreeable person; and I particularly remember that when my poor friend, Miles O'Reilly, died, and Theodore Tilton—whose genius Halpine always delighted in paying tribute to, of the real, warm, Irish, enthusiastic kind—wrote an editorial, giving the great hearted Bohemian a few words of grudging praise, and a cruel revelation of his one amiable fault, I wanted to walk over and thrash the brilliant disciple of Plymouth within an inch of his life.

When the great scandal flamed forth, baptizing Brooklyn with the dust and ashes of a volcanic hell on wheels, my sympathies were where my admiring faith had been for years. But Mr. Beecher met the assault upon his honor exactly as I think I should if I happened to be charged with some stupendous crime, and knew I was symmetrically and monumentally guilty. It surprised and unsettled me.

And, one night, happening to be in the company of Tom Kinsella (I don't beg pardon for it, for I didn't know him well then), I said: "I am glad to see that the *Eagle* stands by Mr. Beecher."

"Yes," said Kinsella, "we're going to try and pull the old man through. He's worth it; don't you think so?"

I certainly did think so, and said that if Mr. Beecher would only turn and meet his libeler, it didn't strike me as being a very terrific undertaking.

"Yes," proceeded T. K., "we must pull him through. But it's rough on Theodore."

"How rough on Theodore? What mercy or consideration does that scoundrel deserve?" I asked, with some asperity.

"Why, he deserves what he won't get, the sympathy of men who believe that a helpless cuckold is to be pitied."

"Do you mean to tell me, Mr. Kinsella, that Henry Ward Beecher is guilty?"

"If you mean by that to ask me if he has seduced Theodore Tilton's wife, I tell you that he did!" said Kinsella.

"And you know it?"

"I know it, positively."

"How?"

"From Beecher's own lips!"

I didn't want to insult my informant by telling him flatly that I didn't believe him; but, without making myself offensive, I tried to convey my incredulity. My manner evidently caused the editor of the *Eagle* to understand the working of my mind, for he said:

"I'll tell you. The *Eagle*, as you know, defends the old man. I, as you see, have no faith in him. When the aid of the *Eagle* was sought, I said to Mr. Beecher in the conference: 'Mr. Beecher, you want the paper to support you. Now, men of my profession, like lawyers, have to make it a rule, when asked to support a man's cause, to know the very truth about it. We can make a better fight if we know the strength of the enemy. The *Eagle* will support you, but the editor must know the whole truth.' And the old man owned up the whole thing, making a clean breast of it, and I told him we'd pull through."

GODS, SUPERNATURAL BEINGS, AND WORSHIP.

HORRIBLE AND BARBAROUS PRACTICE OF THE AZTECS.

[From advance sheets of Bancroft's Native Races Vol. III (Mythology).]

On the last day of the second month—or, according to some authors, of the first—Tlacaxipehualiztli, there was celebrated a solemn feast in honor at once of Xipetotec and of Huitzilopochtli. It was preceded by a very solemn dance at noon of the day before. As the night of the vigil fell, the captives were shut up and guarded; at midnight—the time when it was usual to draw blood from the ears—the hair of the middle of the head of each was shaven away before a fire. When the dawn appeared they were led by their owners to the foot of the stairs of the temple of Huitzilopochtli—and if they would not ascend willingly the priests dragged them up by the hair. The priests threw them down one by one on the back on a stone of three quarters of a yard or more high, and square on the top something more than a foot every way. Two assistants held the victim down by the feet, two by the hands, and one by the head—this last according to many accounts putting a yoke over the head of the man and so pressing it down. Then the priest, holding with both hands a splinter of flint, or a stone resembling flint, like a large lance-head, struck across the breast therewith, and tore out the heart through the gash so made; which, after offering it to the sun and other gods by holding it up toward the four quarters of heaven, he threw into a wooden vessel. The blood was collected also in a vessel and given to the owners of the dead captive, while the body, thrown down the temple steps, was taken to the calpule by certain old men, called *quaquacuiltin*, flayed, cut into pieces, and divided for eating; the king receiving the flesh of the thigh, while the rest of the carcass was eaten at the house of the owner of the captive, though, as will appear by a remark hereafter, it is improbable that the captor or owner himself, ate any of it. With the skin of these flayed persons, a party of youths called the *tototecti*, clothed themselves and fought in sham fight with another party of young men; prisoners being taken on both sides, who were not released without a ransom of some or some kind or other. This sham battle was succeeded by combats of a terribly real sort, the famous so-called gladiatorial fights of Mexico. On a great round stone, like an enormous mill-stone, a captive was tied by a cord, passing round his waist and through the hole of the stem, long enough to permit him freedom every where about the block—set near or at a temple called *yopico*, of the god Totec, or Xipe. With various ceremonies, more particularly described in the preceding volume, the bound man furnished with inferior weapons was made to fight with a picked Mexican champion—the latter holding up his sword and shield to the sun before engaging. If, as sometimes happened, the desperate though hampered and ill-armed captive—whose club-sword was, by a refinement of mockery, deprived of its jagged flint edging and set with feathers—slew his opponent, another champion was sent against him, and so on to the number of five, at which point, according to some, the captive was set free; though according to other authorities, he was not allowed to escape, but champions were sent against him till he fell. Upon which a priest, called the *yooallaoa* opened his breast, tore out his heart, offered it to the sun, and threw it into the usual wooden vessel; while the ropes used for binding to the fighting-stone were carried to the four quarters of the world, reverently with weeping and sighing. A second priest thrust a piece of cane into the gash in the victim's breast and held it up stained with blood to the sun. Then the owner of the captive came and received the blood into a vessel bordered with feathers; this vessel he took with a little cane-and-feather broom or aspergillum and went about all the temples and calpules, giving to each of the idols, as it were to taste of the blood of his captive. The slain body was then carried to the calpulco where, while alive, it had been confined the night before the sacrifice—and there skinned. Thence it was brought to the house of its owner, who divided and made presents of it to his superiors, relatives, and friends; not however tasting thereof himself, for, we are told, "he counted it as the flesh of his own body," because from the hour that he took the prisoner "he held him to be his son, and the captive looked up to his captor as to a father."

INDORSING THE PRESIDENT.

[From the Chicago Tribune, March 26.]

The Senate of the United States have spent nearly a week in discussing a resolution approving the action of the President in a certain particular of the Louisiana business. The resolution was as follows:

"That the action of the President in protecting the Government in Louisiana, of which William P. Kellogg is the Executive, and the people of the State, against domestic violence, and enforcing the laws of the United States, is approved."

This object was brought before the Senate by Senator Frelinghuysen. The Senate had just refused to admit Pinchback, and Mr. Frelinghuysen promptly offered a resolution affirming the legality of the Kellogg Government, and approving of all the acts of the President in relation thereto. This resolution was objected to by many Republicans, and the subject was referred to a caucus, at which the resolution was reduced to the form in which we have given it. It is certainly a very weak resolution, and yet it could not be passed except in that diluted shape. A dozen or more Republican Senators declared that they would vote for no resolution indorsing the legality of the Kellogg Government, or of the election or other means by which it was installed in power, and this resolution was prepared to exclude any such indorsement. All that the resolution, expressly or impliedly, means is, that Kellogg, having been installed as Governor *de facto*, the conduct of the President in protecting that Government against armed violence and in maintaining the peace, was approved. Until this debate we were not aware that the propriety of the President's conduct in this respect was questioned by any one.

A SCHENECTADY PHENOMENON—HOW MYSTERIOUS FOOTPRINTS APPEARED UPON A CEILING.—The Schenectady *Union* of March 30th tells this extraordinary ... : a phenomenon of a very singular nature occurred at the residence of Mr. Veeder, at No. 37 Albany street. Mrs. Veeder at the time was engaged at her household duties and all of a sudden she was astonished and confounded, according to her statement, by what seemed to be a flash of light that filled the room for a moment with a brilliant illumination. She was so overcome by the strange occurrence that she screamed at first, but the light having disappeared she regained her composure, and, to her still greater astonishment, happening to cast her eyes toward the ceiling of the kitchen, where she was at the time, she saw the mark of a child's foot on the wall overhead. She stood a moment contemplating the object on the ceiling, when she saw another mark, precisely like the first, begin to develop itself on the ceiling, which soon appeared in full, being the print of a child's foot, corresponding exactly to the other one. She became alarmed and rushed from the room. Proceeding to a neighbor's she called in another woman, and both watched the curious affair. Soon after other footprints developed themselves on the wall, when another lady was called in, but the footprints continued to multiply. This curious development went on until the ceiling of the kitchen was almost covered with these tracks, crossing the wall in different lines of direction, and soon after similar marks were seen in quite a number on the ceiling of an adjoining bedroom. The marks in both rooms were of a child's foot, and were all of the same size, and precisely alike in all respects. The ceiling, like all others at this time of the year, is more or less colored, and the marks on the wall look like white spots of the foot shape. The marks are still on the wall, although some of them have been rubbed off."

MR. RUSKIN ON GLACIAL ACTION.

Mr. Ruskin lectured on March 11 to a very crowded meeting at the London Institution, on the simple dynamic condition of glacial action among the Alps. He said, in his eloquent introduction, that the beauty of the Alps had first made him quit his study of geology for that of painting, and he had begun to observe the growth of their glaciers at an early period of his life. He did not know if any book existed now to supply the place of *Evenings at Home*, which had been classical in his youth. It contained a lesson under the title of "Eyes and No Eyes," which he, for one, would be sorry to forget; but if such a book were to be written in these days he supposed the title and the moral would be changed and instead of "Eyes and No-Eyes," the tale would be called "Microscopes and no Microscopes." For it was becoming, with perpetual increase of prevalence, the habit of learned men to take interest only in objects which cannot be seen without the aid of instruments, and he supposed that if men of science were permitted to make themselves to their own liking, in place of suffering the slow progress, of selective development, they would give themselves heads like wasps, with three microscopic eyes in the middle of their foreheads, and two each at the end of their ... The artist, on the other hand, whether painter, sculptor, or musician, is pre-eminently a person who sees with his eyes, hears with his ears, and labors with his body, as God constructed them. In using instruments, he limits himself to those which convey or communicate his human power, but rejects all that increase it. Titian would refuse to quicken his touch by electricity, and Michael Angelo to substitute the steam-hammer for his mallet. He would try, in his lecture, to show them things which they might see with human eyes if they tried to see them. No one honored the past labor and respected the present rest of the late Sir Charles Lyell more than his scholar who spoke to them; but his great theory of the constancy and power of existing phenomena was only in a measure proved. There were, broadly speaking, three great demonstrable periods of the earth's history—that in which it was crystallized, that in which it was sculptured or defaced. Those three periods interlace with each other and graduate into each other as the periods of human life do. Something dies in the child on the day that it is born; sometimes is born in the man on the day that he dies. Nevertheless, his life is broadly divided into youth, strength, and decrepitude. In such clear sense, the earth had its three ages, of whose duration we know as yet nothing, except that it has been greater than any man had imagined. In the first period the rocks were soft, Snowdon was probably a depression; in the second, the mountains were cut out by forces which we do not yet know anything definite about. In the third period, the valleys excavated in the second are being filled up, and the mountains elevated in the second are being rubbed down. Of the agents in this action, the visible glaciers of to-day, the first thing he had to say was that they are fluid. Therefore they do not scramble down, nor tumble down, nor crawl down, nor creep down, but flow down. They don't move like leeches, nor like centipedes, nor like serpents, nor like stones, but like what they are made of—water. The next thing about them was, he supposed, new; at all events, though he suspected it, he did not know it himself till very lately, for he had never been under the bottom of a glacier to look. But last year he was able, at Chamouni, to traverse the bed of a glacier, which had been 200 feet thick, but which had retired from its bed, and he saw that modern glaciers were not making their beds deeper, but filling them up. Now, as to the first point the "flowing" of glaciers, what does the word mean? The spring of a fountain or of a sea breaker into spray is not flowing. But when the sea is retiring from the shingle we call that flowing, and the definition of the word is the motion of liquid or viscous matter over or beside solid matter under the action of gravity, without any other impelling force. There are two methods in which a stream or glacier flows. The first is by withdrawing a part of its mass in front, the vacancy left by which another part supplies from behind. That is deduction, the method of a continuous stream. The second way is when the mass behind presses in upon the masses before. That is injection—the way in which a cataract falls into a pool, or a fountain into a basin. The *Mer de Glace* is deduced down its narrow channel like a river, and another glacier down its steep ravines, and both were once injected into a pool of ice in the valley below; and the glacier of the Rhone is so still. Glaciers are of viscous and clinging material, most like honey. One of the points which even Forbes regarded with some embarrassment was the annual rise of the surface of the glacier heaved from below in winter to supply the summer's waste, as if the ice had a power of reproduction. Now, if you open a pot of honey and take out a good table spoonful of it, you will see the surface generally ebb in the pot. The lump you have put in at the side does not diffuse itself over the rest, but it sinks into the rest, and the entire surface rises round it to its former level. In like manner every pound of snow put on at the top of Mont Blanc makes the surface of the glaciers rise at the bottom. It is worth making an effort to conceive the real periods of time involved in glacier motion. At the center of any great glacier stream, low down where the ice is softest and moves fastest, its maximum average race will not pass two feet in the twenty-four hours. The minute hand of a watch moves five or six times as fast. If, therefore, your ice-breaker rises at all, it rises through years of surge, returns through years of recoil. The little ripple of the stream breaks on the shore with quick repetition; the Atlantic wave slowly uplifts itself to plunge, and slowly appeases its thunder; the ice-wave, if there be one, would be to the Atlantic as the ocean's is to the brook's. The question, if there be such a wave, is of vital importance to that of glacier action on crag. Mr. Ruskin added that he would give a definition of a glacier which he requested his audience to take note of. It is a tide which takes a year to rise, a cataract which takes fifty to fall, a torrent that is ribbed like a dragon, and a rock that is diffused like a lake.

MINING ITEMS.

[Jacksonville ...]

Persons bound for the mines are constantly arriving.

The cinnabar *furore* has almost superseded prospecting for quartz, and several first class discoveries are reported.

James Mann this week recorded a claim of 1,500 feet on a cinnabar lode on Big Butte creek, which he says is very rich.

M. Caton, who has just returned from the cinnabar district on Evans creek, reports matters progressing finely there. Considerable work is being done and several rich ledges discovered. He returned yesterday.

A rich cinnabar deposit was some time ago discovered about three miles southeast of town by Messrs. Bilger and Coates, since which time considerable work has been done on it. Late developments are very favorable. Several citizens of this place are interested.

J. J. Moore, of Applegate creek, Josephine county, states that there are now sufficient mill facilities in Josephine county to give the different Galice creek quartz ledges a fair test, and a mill might be put up at the ledge for about five or six hundred dollars. Capt. A. W. Pressley is boating supplies down Rogue river. He takes from four to five tons at a load.

Late and reliable advices from Galice creek state that new discoveries have been made, and that free gold is plainly visible in some of the rock. A late assay of quartz from the Yank ledge yielding $60 to the ton. Little work has been done on any of the ledges as yet. Capital is all that is necessary to open out the great wealth of these ledges, and this will be done sooner or later.

Some enterprising fellow is constructing a boat with which to ferry the gold-seekers across the North Platte.

HAWLEY'S DEFEAT.

[From the St. Louis Democrat.]

The defeat of Mr. Hawley is, immeasurably the most discouraging feature of the Connecticut election. Indeed, it is almost the only discouraging feature, when we consider the shape which the campaign finally assumed. The majority for the Democrats was swelled by the bitter opposition of many Republicans to the civil rights bill, the force bill, the Louisiana business, the attempt to seat Pinchback, and all the rest of that headlong course in which Butler has led, and which has proved so fatal. It is not discouraging to those who care for Republican principles to see another rebuke administered to those who have dragged the Republican party so far from those principles. No Senatorial election was pending, and one or two members of Congress, more or less, will make no difference. But the defeat of Gen. Hawley is something more than the loss of one member of Congress. It will tend to make many Republicans who were not as brave and faithful as he before, more cowardly and ready to compromise with evil than ever.

True, General Hawley ran ahead of the State ticket. He gained more votes than he lost by his manly defiance of corrupt managers, and denunciation of the force bill and other such measures. But the defeat of so fearless and conscientious a man is always of mischievous tendency. It helps to increase that crowd of trimming, truckling, cowardly fellows who never dare to speak their convictions, and habitually surrender them at the crack of a party lash. There are always too many such fellows in American politics, and the example of one brave man, who dares always to speak his mind; and, though he may sometimes err, as such men must, is resolutely sustained by the people for his sincerity, would have been of great value.

As for the rest, the Republicans of Connecticut did not make such a fight as they should have done with such men as Hawley, Ferry and Jewell to point the way. They did not strike boldly for a victory of the better element of Republicanism—for genuine reforms, and unhesitating justice. They tried to carry water on both shoulders. They were partly for Butlerism, and yet tried to elect Hawley. Men do not deserve to win who play such a game. When the campaign opened, we presumed that while sustaining the party in whatever has been justly done, the Republicans of Connecticut would imitate those of New Hampshire, and commend themselves to public confidence by open dissent from whatever has been deserving of criticism. They chose, however, to make a mealy-mouthed, timid, hesitating campaign, which was the more offensive to public opinion, because it contrasted sharply with the course of Hawley in Congress and on the stump. The result is but another reiteration of the lesson that, in proportion as the Republicans show courage and sincerity in tumbling overboard all that is mischievous in the party, they will recover public confidence. Tame acquiescence in bad policies and practices will not answer any longer.

FAVORABLE STATISTICS.

[From the S. F. Call.]

The forthcoming report of the Bureau of Statistics, of which advance sheets have been issued, will give an interesting exhibit of our foreign commercial relations. Its matter comes down to December 31, 1874, embracing the transaction of the entire year, and drawing a comparison with corresponding periods of 1873. By this authority it is stated that our imports for December were $38,957,003, against $35,652,846 for the same month in 1873. For the year 1874 the total imports amounted to $577,369,715, against $624,997,487 for 1873. The domestic exports for last December were $68,027,396, against $62,413,437 for the corresponding month of 1873, while for the years 1874 and 1873 the value of $620,473,735 and $696,316,989 respectively. The money report thus shows an improvement of over five millions, and the yearly report over fifteen, which, with the decrease in the year's imports added, give an increase in the balance of the trade of nearly $62,000,000. The total number of immigrants who arrived in the United States during the twelve months ending December 31, 1874, was 260,814 of whom 150,836 were males. Of these, Germany contributed 56,927; Ireland, 17,636; England, 43,396; Quebec and Ontario, 23,284, and other countries, 144. There were 2,405 of these immigrants who had professional occupations, and 32,482 had skilled occupations, an unusually large proportion.

POISON BY ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS.

One branch of the industry in which children are employed is technically known as grass work. It consists in fastening small glass beads or "dew drops" to the artificial grass, and so simple is the work that mere infants can help at it. The master of a ragged school in a densely populated district of London found that when a particular kind of artificial flower was in fashion the young children neglected to attend school. He told James Greenwood, who wrote an article which appeared in the London *Telegraph* some time ago, "You may always know a grass hand if he has been at work any time, from the appearance of his hair. You will find the front part of it—that which is most exposed, as the head is bent over the work—to be of a different color from the rest. If the child's hair is light-colored, the patch in front, just where the parting commences, will be changed to dull yellow; if the hair is naturally dark the patch will be rusty, almost of the color called carroty. If they work long and hard at the grass the hair will fall out." The threading of the beads on blades and leaves of grass, and the subsequent shaking to see that all is right, dislodge particles of the arsenical green, which poisons the air and tells its tale upon the poor children.—*W. H. Rideing; Scribner for April.*

THE FAMINE IN ASIA.—Some terrible figures are published by the Levant *Herald*, showing the extent of the ravages of famine in Asia Minor. Taking forty-two villages in a district in which the English relief committee has been at work as subjects of investigation, the following statistics have been obtained: The total of the population in 1873 was 16,909; it is now reduced to 9,261; 4,997 have died, and 2,642 are described as "dispersed." These poor people had, in 1873, 2,206 pair of oxen, they now have 427; they had, in 1873, 81,240 sheep, but now possess only 3,312; 3,635 of the inhabitants of these villages have been supplied with wheat by the English relief committee. Another district, containing 100 to 170 villages, in respect of which similar calculations have been made, seems to have suffered not less severely. Its population in 1873 was 52,000; the approximate number of deaths is stated at 20,000, the number of population dispersed at 7,000, and there is now a remainder of 25,000.

A NOVEL BEQUEST.—An old gentleman named March died recently in Charlestown, who was a most eccentric genius. Though possessed of some wealth he had but one pleasure—that of theatre-going. He would economize in everything else, but always treat himself to a sight of every new play or actor, good or bad. He left no heirs and few relatives, and his property was disposed of in several singular ways. The principal item of his will provided for the investment of a sum sufficient to realize $500 per year clear, which was to be expended in theatre tickets to be given away to poor respectable people, not over $1 each to be paid for the tickets. The trustees under the will are given full authority in the carrying out of this provision, and will to-day perform the first act under it, spending the whole sum allowed. They have selected the Boston Theatre, Globe, Museum and Howard, and will furnish 125 tickets to each house for any performance desired by the parties receiving them.—*Boston Herald.*

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TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 20, 1875.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL—IS IT CONSTITUTIONAL?

The New York *Times* discusses at considerable length the constitutionality of the Civil Rights bill passed by the late Congress, holding that the XIVth amendment, on which the friends of the measure rely for constitutional warrant for such legislation, does not authorize Congress to pass laws for the protection and enforcement of the common law rights of citizens. The argument of the *Times* is based mainly on the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of *Minee vs Hottersatt*, lately decided, wherein the court say in substance that the rights and immunities of citizens are in no respect enlarged by the amendment, that article of the constitution being intended simply to extend citizenship to new classes of persons and to provide greater guaranties from the protection of such rights as flow from, and are inseparably connected with, citizenship. It is insisted, and as it appears to us, with great force, that the rights of citizenship do not necessarily embrace all the common law rights of individuals; and that while under the constitution no State has the power to abridge such rights of citizens as are inseparably connected with the fact of citizenship; and while Congress may properly legislate for the protection of that class of personal rights; the broad field of common law rights remains open to State legislation, just as it did before the passage of the Civil Rights bill. Congress has no power except such as is specifically, or by necessary implication, conferred on it by the constitution, all other powers being declared by that instrument to be reserved to the several States. In other words, Congress is prohibited by the express terms of the constitution from legislating upon subjects that are not mentioned, or included by necessary implication, in the enumeration of powers given to the General government. The rights attempted to be secured by the Civil Rights bill—the right to be received at inns, places of amusement and public conveyances, without discrimination—are not specially mentioned in the constitution as subjects for congressional legislation; and if they are not inseparably connected with citizenship, they cannot be considered as necessarily implied and included in the general grant of power to enforce the rights of citizenship, and the several States have exclusive power over them.

The question is by no means free from difficulty. If this construction of the constitution is correct, there will be no end of questions as to what are the peculiar rights and immunities of citizens arising out of the mere fact of citizenship, as to how and where the line of demarkation shall be drawn. And if, on the contrary, this construction is not correct, if *all* personal rights are to be held as included in the rights of citizens which Congress is empowered to protect by appropriate legislation, there is no limit, theoretically or practically, to the powers of the General Government, and State lines are obliterated. The *Times* in closing its examination of the subject, says:

> There seems to remain no ground of support of the constitutionality of the civil rights legislation except this—that the fourteenth amendment, having declared who are citizens of the United States, Congress may declare what rights, privileges, and immunities go with that citizenship. We shall not consider this claim of power in Congress further than to say that, if assented to, it is limitless. If it is good for one right it is good for all, and puts States in the same relation to the general government that municipalities hold to State governments. The State of New York would, according to such a construction, be as much subject to national legislation, as the city of New York is now subject to the legislation at Albany. No one has yet seriously made this claim for the fourteenth amendment, and there is no probability that it would be entertained for a moment by the supreme court; yet what other defense is there for federal legislation regulating the business of inn-keepers and common carriers?
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> There can be little doubt that the judicial construction of the amendment will be, like the practical and common-sense view of it, that it only determines who are citizens; and that all that the United States can constitutionally do in securing the privileges and immunities of citizenship, is to see that a citizen of Pennsylvania, being in New York, enjoys the same rights enjoyed by the citizens of New York. While in New York his personal rights, his property rights, his common-law rights, can have no higher guarantee or protection than if he were a citizen of New York; in other words, he is not to be a privileged person in that State because he is a citizen of another State. And this view will leave the civil rights, supposed to be secured by the legislation of last winter, exactly where the supreme court has left the right of suffrage—with the States; and they ought to be left there.

A PARTISAN FALSEHOOD ON GENERAL LOGAN.

In the bitterness of the partisan strife which characterized the latter portion of the last Congress an old story was revived to the effect that Senator Logan, of Illinois, who was one of the most strenuous advocates of the extreme measures against the South, raised a company of men in southern Illinois early in 1861 for the Southern cause, and after marching them to the Ohio river, deserted them and went back home. His subsequent career as a Federal General in the same war, and as a Senator, identifying with the most radical wing of the Republican party, gave peculiar point to this story, of course. Several of the Democratic journals have reprinted it, with an affidavit made by one John S. Wheatley, affirming the truth of the story, on his own personal knowledge. But there seems little doubt that the story is a malicious fabrication. General Logan publishes, along with a card positively denying it, a letter to himself written by Thorndike Brooks, of Baltimore, late Lieutenant-Colonel in the Confederate service, stating that he (Brooks), raised the only body of men raised in southern Illinois for the Confederate service, and went with them to the field of operations. It appears that Wheatley was unknown to either Brooks or Logan; but that since this affidavit came out it has been ascertained he was an inmate of a poor-house somewhere in Illinois, and made the affidavit, it is alleged, for a pecuniary consideration.

The *Evening Journal*, heretofore announced, made its appearance yesterday afternoon. It is neat, well filled with reading matter, and has a thrifty look in its advertising department.

THE MEXICAN BORDER RAIDERS.

The latest turn of affairs in connection with the Mexican border troubles, if the report is correct, would appear to make it necessary for our government to take up the case in earnest. The first demand on behalf of the Americans, it seems, was for a judicial trial, in order that the facts might be well established and the parties identified. But this is met by the Mexican government, not with negotiations for the purpose of securing a fair hearing to its citizens, as would have been reasonable, but with an order that the prisoners be removed into the interior of Mexico and placed in charge of the military commander, thus making a fair examination of the case impossible, because of the difficulty, expense and danger connected with a journey to Monterey by the witnesses, who are Americans. The explanation of this singular conduct, on the part of the Mexican government will probably be that the excitement was so intense among the Americans along the Texan border that there was danger of violence to the prisoners if they were allowed to remain at Matamoras. There may be something in this, but if there is, it does not free the case from difficulty. The raiding is not undone by an apology or an explanation, nor can the property of Americans which has been destroyed by these marauders be restored in that way. If Mexican citizens have pursued a course toward Americans which makes it unsafe for them to remain near the line that divides the two countries, and the Mexican government feels bound to interpose for their protection and shield them from individual responsibility, it is for Mexico to answer in her national capacity. Our government should demand this, and should let it be understood that the demand must be honored. It is high time to put a stop to these invasions of our territory for purposes of rapine and plunder.

AUSTRALIA BEATS OREGON FOR RAIN.

We here in Oregon need not grumble about our winter rains. Compared with New South Wales and Queensland, an Oregon pour is a mere nothing. Think of it, ye Oregonians! nine inches of rain fell in one night in Queensland. And imagine the Wallamet river rising 59 feet above its ordinary stage. We ought to be thankful we have have no devastating floods and no towns in Oregon partially submerged, as in Australia. The following is the recent intelligence brought by the Australiam mail, *via* San Francisco:

> SYDNEY, March 18, 1875.
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> Very heavy floods have been experienced in New South Wales and Queensland. Incessant rain fell from Saturday morning to Monday night, accompanied by an easterly gale. The town of Maitland was partially submerged, and hundreds, rendered homeless, occupy the government buildings.
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> All the rivers have risen considerably, the Patterson being 59 feet above the ordinary level. Vessels have been unable to leave port for days, and inland communication is interrupted. The floods are everywhere higher than they have ever been previously known, and the loss to property is frightful. In Queensland nine inches of rain are reported to have fallen on Wednesday night, and 28 inches in 24 days. All communication has been stopped with the northern ports.

Cardinal McCloskey's state carriage was placed on exhibition by the manufacturer before delivery. It is described as an eight spring Berlin coach of unpretending appearance, but of the finest workmanship. Its weight is 1,660 pounds. The body is black, while the running part is painted very dark green; it is lined with blue satin. The few mountings, such as the handle of the door and settings of the lamps, are plain silver. The cardinal's coat of arms has been handsomely emblazoned on the door; it consists of a shield *vert* bearing three crosslets *argent* or *chevron gules* between two stars in a sheaf and *fleur de lis* in the base; on the crest is a double crosslet. The carriage will be drawn on state occasions by heavy black horses with silver-mounted harness. It cost $3,000.

The New York *Herald*, of April 6th, has a report of an interview with the oldest lawyer in New York, and probably the oldest in the world, giving the main points in his long career. His name is Elbert Herring, and he lives at No. 31, Twenty-Eighth street, New York. He will be 98 years old in July, having been born at Stratford, Connecticut, in 1777. He came to New York when seven years old, and has been there ever since. He was admitted to the bar in 1799, and was a judge of the Marine Court in 1805. He was once Indian Commissioner at Washington City, and says that at that time he got acquainted with Daniel Webster, who was a very young man."

Wheat free on board at Lyttleton, New Zealand, was worth, on March 13, 5 shillings per cental, equal to $1 20, while at the same time the price of cargo free on board at Portland was $1 45. Again, freight charges on wheat to Liverpool from New Zealand were 55 shillings, while ours at Portland were then 65—10 shillings more per ton; and still the Oregon farmer got 25 cents more per cental for his wheat than the New Zealand farmer. These facts ought to satisfy Oregon wheat producers that they get much better prices for their grain than do the farmers of other countries which are nearer in transportation by sea to the United Kingdom than we are.

It is stated that the Dominican government is getting up a claim against the United States for $5,000,000, damages sustained in some way at the hands of the Samana Bay Company of speculators. It has not yet transpired what proportion of the five millions is to go to the speculators themselves as indemnity for the losses they sustained in the ill-starred adventure. There ought to be no delay in payment of this little demand, as the parties interested are, no doubt, very hungry.

DIED.

In Pendleton, March 25, Mrs. Edith Despain, in the 75th year of her age.

In LaGrande, Union county, March 31, Mr. Wm. A. Carter, aged 28 years.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Granger's Market Company, in Portland, on Monday, May 3, 1875.
J. J. IMBRIE, Secretary.
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TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 20, 1875.

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WILL BE RUNG.—Since the tower has been built on Fourth street, and the fire alarm bell hung in position, there has been considerable comment as to the efficiency of the same as a medium for giving alarms. Among some of the firemen it is contended that the tower is not high enough; that for want of sufficient altitude the bell cannot be heard all over the city. A petition was circulated among the citizens some time since and numerously signed, praying the common council to cause a tower to be built much higher, and thus enable the brazen tones to be distinctly heard all over the city when the bell was rung. As yet no action has been taken by the common council in relation to the matter. In order to determine the question beyond all doubt, Chief Engineer Hallock, at the request of the committee on fire and water, will cause the alarm bell to be rung this evening. The bell will be struck four consecutive times, commencing precisely at 8:15 o'clock, at intervals of three minutes, for the space of half an hour. This will enable the firemen in all portions of the city to judge whether, in their opinion, the sound of the bell will be improved by a change in its elevation. No alarm need be felt this evening when the bell speaks with its iron tongue.

DROWNED OR MURDERED.—About two years ago, a young man named William Ware was employed as brakesman on the O. & C. R. R. After leaving the company, he went to California, and at last accounts was in the southern portion of the State. A dispatch dated 8th inst. from Los Angelos, says: "William Ware, 21 years old, was drowned in the lake at Colonel B. D. Wilson's vineyard, near the Mission San Gabriel yesterday afternoon. He was with a party of four men from Elmont. Three of them got into a skiff and put off from shore. The fourth remained on shore and told a bystander that it was the intention of one of the men to upset the boat when it reached deep water. The boat was upset, and the two reached a wire fence running across the lake. Ware sank and was drowned. The three men then rode off; it is alleged that they went for help. The body was recovered this morning. A legal investigation may disclose serious criminal features in the transaction." No additional particulars are furnished; but as Ware was in that section of country, and about the age of the person who came to an untimely end, it is quite probable that he is the victim.

THE BODY FOUND.—Yesterday's issue contained the sad intelligence of the drowning of a man named Sanders, a brother-in-law of Mr. D. A. Lancaster, of this city, in the Blue Mountains. Mr. Sanders was crossing the mountains in a sleigh when the sad accident occurred. When crossing a stream covered with ice, Mr. Sanders lost his balance and fell off. Unfortunately he struck near an air hole and broke through, and, before assistance could reach him, the man was drowned. Intelligence was received yesterday by Mr. Lancaster that the body had been recovered from the water, and that it had been buried in the snow to preserve it from decomposition until orders were received from here. Orders have been forwarded to have the body brought in to Umatilla, to which place a casket is to be sent. The remains will then be brought down to Portland and then sent to San Francisco.

CISTERN COMPLETED.—The large wooden cistern at the foot of Oak street, from which is to be obtained the supply of water to sprinkle the streets, has been completed. At one side of the cistern a small donkey engine has been placed, to which is attached a force pump. The water is pumped from the river and forced up into the cistern, which is elevated fifteen or twenty feet above the grade of the street. From the cistern a pipe, about two inches in diameter, extends under ground to the corner of the street. By a convenient arrangement the sprinkling cart can be driven under the spout and the water discharged into the receptacle. In a few days everything will be in condition for service. At present, however, the weather clerk, being the lowest responsible bidder, has the contract for street sprinkling.

HOW MEN WILL DIFFER.—This was strikingly illustrated in the trial of a certain cause in the circuit court at St. Helens last week. Sixty-four witnesses were called to testify in the case, four of whom swore as to the merits of the matter in issue. The other sixty were called to swear as to the character of the plaintiff for truth and veracity. Of the sixty, twenty-six called by defendant swore plaintiff's character in the respect named was "bad," while thirty-four swore it was good; and as plaintiff and defendant each testified in his own behalf, we reckon the jury had more testimony than they could weigh, and so they disagreed, and plaintiff's character was not decided.

AN OLD BARGE.—A number of men were engaged yesterday in raising an old submerged barge, which has laid for several months at the foot of F street. Last winter, prior to the freeze-up, the barge came up with a load of sand, and was moored at the foot of the street. When the ice broke up, the barge was jammed in between the masses and sunk. As the old hulk is a serious obstruction to navigation, a strong cable was attached to one end, and by means of a capstan, the submerged craft was "yanked" from its resting place. It was then pushed out in the stream and borne away on the strong current.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.—Last evening being the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wyatt, their friends celebrated their tin wedding at the residence of Hon. J. B. Congle, Mrs. Wyatt's father. Mr. Wyatt had been peremptorily summoned from Albany, where he is engaged in business, to meet his old friends in Portland, and the party was a pleasant reunion, and after highly enjoying the occasion, congratulating the bride and groom, and wishing them long life, happiness and much tin, the guests separated for their respective homes. It was a most pleasant affair.

CISTERNS REPAIRED.—By order of Chief Engineer Hallock, the cistern at the intersection of Fifth and Morrison streets was pumped out yesterday morning, for the purpose of enabling needed repairs to be made to the supply pipe and ball cock. Mr. Hallock has ordered some repairs to be made to the cistern cover at the intersection of Fifth and Taylor streets. There are two holes in the cover which are dangerous to teams. Lumber has already been hauled on the ground and the repairs are being made.

ACCIDENT.—On last Wednesday Miss Ada Hedges met with a painful accident, by falling against a hot stove during a fainting fit, thereby receiving severe burns on her face and hands. She is residing at present with Mr. J. M. Caywood's family, who minister to her wants with as much care and attention as a parent would under similar circumstances. At last accounts she was improving under skillful treatment, but it will be some length of time before the wounds are entirely healed.

FLATTERING TO OREGON.—Says the *Commercial Advertiser*, published at Honolulu, under date of March 27th: "Oregon sends us beef, fresh and salt salmon in large quantities, much of our flour and lumber; and latterly we get from thence the freshest and sweetest of hams. None can be nicer than those recently brought by the *Falkinburg*, which is another argument in favor of reciprocity."

A HEINOUS CRIME.—One day last week, A. Cloninger, of Columbia county, from whom his wife obtained a divorce in the session of the circuit court for that county, was arrested on a charge of attempting to commit rape on the person of his own daughter. His preliminary examination resulted in his being held to answer the charge before the next grand jury of the county.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.—The Odd Fellows of Portland and East Portland, will unite in the proper observance of the 56th anniversary of the introduction of Odd Fellowship into the United States, at Masonic Temple, on the evening of April 26th. Hon. Syl. C. Simpson will deliver an oration on the occasion. Full particulars anon.

ADMITTED.—In the United States District Court, on Saturday, Angelo Biomondo, a native of Austria, was admitted to citizenship.

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CITY.

WILL BE RUNG.—Since the tower has been built on Fourth street and the fire alarm bell hung in position there has been considerable comment as to the efficiency of the same as a medium for giving alarms. Among some of the firemen it is contended that the tower is not high enough that for want of sufficient height the bell cannot be heard all over the city. A petition was circulated among the citizens some time since and numerously signed praying the common council to cause the tower to be built much higher and thus enable the brazen tones to be distinctly heard all over the city when the bell was rung. As yet no action has been taken by the common council in relation to the matter. In order to determine the question beyond all doubt Chief Engineer Hallock, at the request of the committee on fire and water will cause the alarm bell to be rung this evening. The bell will be struck four consecutive times commencing precisely at 8 15 o'clock at intervals of three minutes, for the space of half an hour. This will enable the firemen in all portions of the city to judge whether in their opinion the sound of the bell will be improved by a change in its elevation. No alarm need be felt this evening when the bell speaks with its iron tongue.

PROBABLY DROWNED.—About two years ago a young man named William Ware was employed as brakesman on the O & C R R. After leaving the company he went to California, and at last accounts was in the southern portion of the State. A dispatch dated 18th inst., from Los Angeles, says: "William Ware, 22 years old was drowned in the lake on Colonel B. D. Wilson's vineyard near the Mission San Gabriel yesterday afternoon. He was with a party of four men from [illegible]. Three of them got into a skiff and put off from shore. The fourth remained on shore and told a bystander that it was the intention of one of the men to upset the boat, when it reached deep water. The boat was upset and the two reached a wire fence running across the lake. Ware sank and was drowned. The three men then rode off. It is alleged that they went for help. The body was recovered this morning. A legal investigation may disclose some criminal features in the transaction." No additional particulars are furnished but as Ware was in that section of country and about the age of the person who came to an untimely end, it is quite probable that he is the victim.

THE BODY FOUND.—Yesterday's issue contained the sad intelligence of the drowning of a man named Sanders, a brother in law of Mr D A Lancaster, of this city, in the Blue mountains. Mr Sanders was crossing the mountains in a sleigh when the sad accident occurred. When crossing a stream covered with ice, Mr Sanders lost his balance and fell off. Unfortunately he struck near an air hole and broke through, and, before assistance could reach him, the man was drowned. Information was received yesterday by Mr Lancaster that the body had been recovered from the water, and that it had been buried in the snow to preserve it from decomposition until orders were received from here. Orders have been forwarded to have the body brought in to Umatilla, to which place a casket is to be sent. The remains will then be brought down to Portland and then sent to San Francisco.

CISTERN COMPLETED.—The large wooden cistern at the foot of Oak street, from which is to be obtained the supply of water to sprinkle the streets, has been completed. At one side of it a small donkey engine has been placed, to which is attached a force pump. The water is pumped from the river and forced up into the cistern, which is elevated fifteen or twenty feet above the grade of the street. From the cistern a pipe, about two inches in diameter, extends under ground to the corner of the street. By a convenient arrangement the sprinkling cart can be driven under the spout and the water discharged into the receptacle. In a few days everything will be in condition for service. At present, however, the weather clerk, being the lowest responsible bidder, has the contract for street sprinkling.

HOW MEN WILL DIFFER.—This was strikingly illustrated in the trial of a certain cause in the circuit court at St Helens last week. Sixty-four witnesses were called to testify in the case, four of whom swore as to the merits of the matter in issue. The other sixty were called to swear as to the character of the plaintiff for truth and veracity. Of the sixty, twenty-six called by defendant swore plaintiff's character in the respect named was bad, while thirty four swore it was good and as plaintiff and defendant each testified in his own behalf, we reckon the jury had more testimony than they could weigh and so they disagreed and plaintiff's character was not decided.

AN OLD BARGE.—A number of men were engaged yesterday in raising an old submerged barge which has laid for several months at the foot of F street. Last winter prior to the freeze up, the barge came up with a load of sand, and was moored at the foot of the street. When the ice broke up, the barge was jammed in between the masses and sunk. As the old hulk is a serious obstruction to navigation a strong cable was attached to one end, and, by means of a capstan, the submerged craft was "yanked" from its resting place. It was then pushed out in the stream and borne away on the strong current.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.—Last evening being the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr and Mrs. J. B Wyatt, their friends celebrated their tin wedding at the residence of Hon J B Congle, Mrs Wyatt's father. Mr Wyatt had been peremptorily summoned from Albany, where he is engaged in business to meet his old friends in Portland and the party was a pleasant reunion, and after highly enjoying the occasion, congratulating the bride and groom, and wishing them long life happiness and much tin, the guests separated for their respective homes. It was a most pleasant affair.

CISTERNS REPAIRED.—By order of Chief Engineer Hallock, the cistern at the intersection of Fifth and Morrison streets was pumped out yesterday morning for the purpose of enabling needed repairs to be made to the supply pipe and ball cock. Mr Hallock has ordered some repairs to be made to the cistern cover at the intersection of Fifth and Taylor streets. There are two holes in the cover which are dangerous to teams. Lumber has already been hauled on the ground and the repairs are being made.

ACCIDENT.—On last Wednesday Miss Ada Hedges met with a painful accident by falling against a hot stove during a fainting fit, thereby receiving severe burns on her face and hands. She is residing at present with Mr J M Caywood's family who minister to her wants with as much care and attention as a parent would under similar circumstances. At last accounts she was improving under skillful treatment but it will be some length of time before the wounds are entirely healed.

FLATTERING TO OREGON.—Says the *Commercial Advertiser*, published at Honolulu under date of March 27th: "Oregon sends us her fresh and salt salmon in large quantities, much of our flour and lumber, and latterly we get from thence the freshest and sweetest of hams. None can be nicer than those recently brought by the *Falkinburg*, which is another argument in favor of reciprocity."

A HEINOUS CRIME.—One day last week D A Cloninger, of Columbia county, from whom his wife obtained a divorce in the session of the circuit court for that county, was arrested on a charge of attempting to commit rape on the person of his own daughter. His preliminary examination resulted in his being held to answer the charge before the next grand jury of the county.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.—The Odd Fellows of Portland and East Portland will unite in the proper observance of the 56th anniversary of the introduction of Odd Fellowship into the United States, at Masonic Temple on the evening of April 26th. Hon Syl C Simpson will deliver an oration on the occasion. Full particulars anon.

ADMITTED.—In the United States District Court, on Saturday, Angelo Riomondo, a native of Austria, was admitted to citizenship.

ORTHOGRAPHICAL.

Clerks are devoting all their leisure moments to the study of dictionaries.

On Friday evening it is proposed to give an ice cream festival and spelling match at the Hall street M E church. Proceeds are to be donated to the Sunday school library. A prize of $2 50 will be awarded the champion spellist.

The following sentence was going the rounds yesterday and some of the words laid [illegible] a number of orthographical giants low. It was a[illegible] to perceive the embarrassment of the harassed peddler gauging the symmetry of a peeled pear or potato.

A butcher in this city has caught the infection. Yesterday his clerk observed him taking down the unabridged Lexicography from a secluded nook and after carefully brushing away the dust which had accumulated half an inch thick on the cover he opened it and began to [illegible] on the pages. When butchers contract the mania and commence to burnish up their memories then it is time for professional men to look well to their laurels. This butcher is intent on a prize.

The orthographozooty has attacked the people north of the Columbia and on Wednesday evening of this week the citizens of Vancouver will assemble at the Methodist church in that place to display their knowledge of the works of Noah Webster. Mr Charles Brown will propound monosyllables and dissyllables to the uninitiated and perhaps sling a few jawbreakers to the old ones in "spellography." The proceeds, to which all are invited most respectfully to contribute, are for the benefit of the church. We can assure our Vancouver friends that they will find that there is lots of innocent amusement and a good deal of instruction for those who attend these contests. Whoever spells the names of all the postoffices, rivers, towns and bays in Washington Territory without special preparation can have our oldest hat.

Last evening the vestry of the First Baptist church was crowded almost to suffocation, the attraction being the old fashioned spelling school announced to take place there. A few minutes after 8 o'clock the leaders of the respective sides—Mrs Briggs and Mr F K Arnold—began to "choose up." The following are the names of the persons composing the respective sides:

Mrs Briggs—S C Simpson, W W Freeman, Mr Burnell, Willis Dunniway, Prof Pratt, Miss Coombs, Miss Ida West, Mrs Parlak, Miss Franta Taylor.

F K Arnold—Geo H Himes, G A Dobinson, J G Glenn, Jas. Faling, E J Northup, J P Dickinson, D J Pierce, Howard Fairfoul, G W Traver, J A Waters.

Prof J W Johnson, H A Thompson and J K Gill were chosen referees, and Prof A J Anderson propounder.

The following are the words which proved too much for the spellists: Howard Fairfoul, fusion; one small girl went down on forcible, Geo H Himes, traceable; a tall gentleman failed on fascinate, Dr Glenn got the newmonic for pneumonia, Jas Faling failed on Madeline; another small boy succumbed to Epiphany and a little girl found insidious more than she bargained for, Geo W Traver could not master cynosure, Miss Taylor failed on daguerreotype, Miss Emma Taylor found her match in herbaceous, E J Northrup went to the wall amidst prolonged applause, on the word calumniation, psychology sent one of the spellists out of the ranks, Rev D J Pierce had to weaken on sarcophagus, Willis Dunaway made a failure on synonym, James A Waters yielded very gracefully on the word sibilant, Miss Coombs, guttural, J P Dickinson, tesselated; Mrs Briggs, suppuration; Miss West, Costa Rica; G A Dobinson, Schenectady; W W Freeman, Havre de Graco; S C Simpson, Tallahassee; S L Marsh, Kalamazoo; I W Pratt, Guadalaxara, F K Arnold, Guanajuato, Mr Burnell, heliotrope.

Mrs Walder Parker being the last speller left on the floor was declared the champion for the evening and awarded the prize—a copy of Webster's Counting house Dictionary.

After a short intermission during which ice cream and cakes were dispensed a general spell was indulged in. The pleasure and merriment of the evening was heartily participated in by the large assemblage.

BRIEF NOTES.

The *Evening Journal* has made its appearance.

County Court will convene to-day at 9 o'clock A M

Trout fishing has commenced with renewed vigor among anglers.

These spelling matches are certain to result in a spell of marriages.

Nothing gives a man's attire such an air of cheapness these sunny days as a new hat.

Snow must be melting in the mountains, judging from the stage of water in the Columbia and Wallamet river.

Driftwood in large quantities continues to pass. Yesterday the ferryboat was delayed some time until it could float away.

James Steel, administrator of the estate of R B Randall deceased filed his bond in probate court yesterday in the sum of $1,600.

People will growl about this climate. At Chicago the thermometer stands at zero—colder than it was at any time here last winter—and in Oregon we have bright sunshine and mercury up to the eighties.

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J
SATURDAY, April 7, 1875

In re St Helens Mill Co; objections to proof of debt of J B Montgomery; demurrer to objections argued and submitted.

U S CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J
MONDAY April 19

Marcus Neff vs Sylvester Pennoyer; motion to relax bill of costs heard and submitted.

Adjourned until Monday next.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SPECIAL TERM—SHATTUCK, J

A J Knott vs Jos and Levi Knott; temporary injunction granted; motion for a receiver denied.

Bridget Illis vs A B Hallock and James H Lappeus; demurrer overruled as to first item and sustained as to second item.

Elizabeth Kellogg vs Geo Kellogg; continued for hearing until to-morrow morning at 10 o clock.

Edwin Wood vs W A Holbrook et al; demurrer of plaintiff to amended answer of defendant Lappeus and motion of defendant Strong to strike out parts of defendant Lappeus answer argued and submitted.

Philip C Schuyler guardian of J C Van Rensselaer vs I B Harker; cause continued until to morrow at 9 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

The programme at the theater last evening warranted a much larger attendance than was present. However it was very good and all who were fortunate enough to occupy a seat were more than repaid for the time spent. The first play "Rag Pickers of Paris" gave Mr Herne an opportunity to display his talents to the best advantage. His acting was capital throughout and the support excellent. All in all the play gave thorough satisfaction. Mr Whiffen assisted by Miss Gilton gave a pleasing entertainment at the close of the Blind Beggars. The singing was excellent and the conversation of a live nature making the auditors leave in a joyful frame of mind. To-night the season closes with a benefit to Mr J A Herne when the "Rag Picker of Paris" and "School of Reform" will be performed. As this will be the last night no doubt the house will be filled in every part.

BASE BALL.

The Centennial Club of Philadelphia is among those entered for the national championship. Fresno, Radcliff, Craver and Bechtel, assisted by amateurs comprise the nine.

The Philadelphia's this year include the following players: McMullin l f, McGeary, 3d b; Addy r f; Meyerle, 2d b; Fisher p; Malone 1st b; Fulmer, s s; Schafer c f; Snyder c.

The Pioneer and Arcadian clubs have appointed two members each to confer with a like number from other senior clubs in the State relative to the adoption of local rules for the government of clubs in this State and Washington Territory. The national association rules in some respects are incompatible with the workings of clubs hereabouts.

PERSONAL.

Mr Dave Raffety, the well known druggist in East Portland started overland on Saturday for San Francisco. He will probably remain there permanently. Mr R is a clever and courteous gentleman, and he carries away the best wishes of a host of friends.

MILITARY NOTES.

The following orders have just been issued:

Capt Marcus P Miller 4th artillery is appointed to act as inspector on certain quartermaster's property at Fort Stevens, Oregon, for which the officer of the day is accountable reported the 10th inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

Capt James Jackson 1st cavalry, is appointed to act as inspector on certain medical and hospital property at Fort Klamath, Oregon for which Assistant Surgeon Henry McElderry post surgeon is accountable, reported the 31st ult, as requiring the action of an inspector.

Capt Patrick Collins 21st infantry is appointed to act as inspector on certain ordnance and ordnance stores at Camp Harney, Oregon for which Major Elmer Otis 1st cavalry commanding post is accountable reported the 31st ult as requiring the action of an inspector.

Col Frank Wheaton 2d infantry is appointed to act as inspector on certain medical and hospital property at Fort Walla Walla W T for which Surgeon Charles H Alden post surgeon is accountable reported the 6th inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

Capt Marcus P Miller 4th artillery is appointed to act as inspector on certain quartermaster's stores at Fort Stevens Oregon for which First Lieut Peter Leary Jr 4th artillery post quartermaster is accountable reported the 10th inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

First Lieut Peter Leary Jr 4th artillery is appointed to act as inspector on certain camp and garrison equipage at Fort Stevens Oregon for which Capt Marcus P Miller 4th artillery, commanding company F is accountable, reported the 10th inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

Capt James Jackson 1st cavalry is appointed to act as inspector on certain camp and garrison equipage at Fort Klamath, Oregon, for which Capt John I Johnston 21st infantry commanding company F is accountable, reported the 31st ult as requiring the action of an inspector.

First Lieutenant Peter Leary Jr, 4th artillery is appointed to act as inspector on certain ordnance and ordnance stores at Fort Stevens Oregon for which Capt Marcus P Miller 4th artillery commanding post, is accountable, reported the 10th inst as requiring the action of an inspector.

Major Elmer Otis, 1st cavalry, is appointed to act as inspector on certain commissary property at Camp Harney Oregon, for which Second Lieut Geo R Bacon 1st cavalry post commissary of subsistence is accountable reported the 31st ult as requiring the action of an inspector.

The public exigencies requiring the immediate delivery of the article upon the recommendation of the chief commissary of subsistence the subsistence department at Fort Vancouver is authorized to purchase in open market at lowest obtainable rates 8 400 pounds flour to supply the wants of the post to June 30 1875.

Major Elmer Otis 1st cavalry is appointed to act as inspector on certain ordnance and ordnance stores quartermaster's stores and camp and garrison equipage, at Camp Harney, Oregon for which Capt Chas Bendire 1st cavalry, commanding company K is accountable reported the 31st ult as requiring the action of an inspector.

Major Elmer Otis, 1st cavalry, is appointed to act as inspector on certain ordnance and ordnance stores quartermaster's stores and camp and garrison equipage at Camp Harney Oregon, for which Capt Joel G Trimble, 1st cavalry, commanding company H is accountable reported the 31st ult as requiring the action of an inspector.

NEW OPENING.

Messrs A E Miller & Co will open, at 6 o'clock this evening, the "Pacific Candy Manufactory" at 45 First street. The establishment is complete in every respect, the firm having put up all the necessary conveniences for the manufacture of confectioneries and cakes of the very finest kind. Mr Miller and Mr Getz have had considerable experience in the business, and the patrons of the new firm may calculate on getting the best articles produced by artists in their line. The dining room is elegantly fitted up and the store is really beautiful, the design being new and attractive. The firm have engaged the services of a first class cuisine who will provide those calling with the best in the city. Mr Alex Kaufman will attend to the business department. The gentlemen named above comprise the firm and will do their utmost to give satisfaction to their friends and the public generally. Throughout, the new establishment presents an air of elegance, neatness comfort and convenience. We predict for the new firm a liberal share of patronage.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

The auction sale of teas by S L Jones & Co., San Francisco will take place to day. Telegraph your orders.

In the advertising columns will be found the announcement of the varied line of goods just opened at the establishment of S L Marsh, Stark and First streets. Our limited knowledge of the dry goods business deters us from enumerating the many new styles and dilating upon them. There is one thing certain, purchasers may depend upon buying much cheaper than heretofore, as Mr Marsh has reduced the prices materially. Call and examine the large and varied stock, and our word for it you will find what you want and at a reasonable price.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon April 19 1875:

	7 A M.	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	56°	69°	59°
Wind direction	Calm	N	N W
Wind velocity	0	[illegible]	4
Weather	Cloudy	Fair	Fair
Maximum temperature			69°
Rainfall			0 07

A CONUNDRUM.

Why are spelling matches rather improper for strictly moral and religiously inclined people to attend? Because they lead to hard words.

The above we get from W A Hart, but other and better things to be had of the same individual are his choice cigars and a cool drink of soda water.

PLEASURE BOATS.

I have a number of Sail and Row Boats ready at any moment to let at reasonable charges. Boats made to order.

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PORTLAND

The Spring time has come and with it new Goods to our enterprising merchants. The styles are much changed in clothing, and the dull time have worked a change in price too so much so that persons with limited means can invest liberally. J KOHN opposite National Bank is among the first to introduce the latest styles from the Eastern markets. He has an immense stock which is well worth looking through. Call and see the new stock.

The observing man must have noted a change in the establishment of BECK & WALDMAN. The last steamer brought them quite a large invoice of Spring Styles which they are having displayed for the inspection of their numerous customers. They will continue to offer the public the best bargains. As usual the stock of Youth's clothing is varied and parents may find many new things that will be sure to please. Drop in this evening.

Samaritan Lodge No 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G.

Hassalo Lodge No 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

Harmony Encampment No 4, C. of R. C.—Meets Tuesday Evenings at Good Templars' Hall corner Third and Alder streets at 7½ o'clock.

Take it in Time. Coughs and colds will not wait. They are deceptive and the patient often imagines himself better even when he has not used the proper treatment for cure. Attend to it at once. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY is our oldest cure for these complaints.

HABIT if not necessity makes a Hair Dressing indispensable to many. The new "VIGOR," which DR AYER'S laboratory issues is one of the most delightful we have ever used. It restores not only the color but gloss and luxuriance to faded and gray hair.

IMPORTANT RULINGS.

The following important ruling was made a few days since in the U S circuit court:

U S CIRCUIT COURT—SAWYER, DEADY, JJ

[illegible] Laidl et al; motion to allow Simon administrator of the plaintiff to be made a party to the action.

On April 18 [illegible] counsel for the plaintiff applied to the court—Deady, J—under § 37 of the Oregon Code and § [illegible] of the Judiciary act now § [illegible] of the U S Rev St—for an order substituting Joseph Simon administrator of said Earle as plaintiff in the action. The motion was denied upon the ground that it was not made within a year as required by said § 37. Thereupon counsel for the plaintiff renewed the motion under § 100 of the Oregon Code which authorizes the court in its discretion to allow an answer or reply to be made or other act to be done after the time limited by this Code. Sawyer J speaking for the court denied the motion upon the double ground that the order upon the former motion was an adjudication and therefore a bar to this one and that § 100 did not include a case where a person voluntarily made an application to become a party to a suit but was intended for cases where a party to an action became in default in the progress of it under excusable circumstances.

Weeks vs Laidl et al; Motion to strike out parts of complaint as being frivolous and irrelevant and redundant. Deady, J speaking for the court allowed the motion remarking that the plaintiff had a cause of action against the defendants upon the facts stated it arose as follows: That while the plaintiff was the owner of certain shares in the O S N Co's stock which was worth $[illegible] per share or $1[illegible] premium and paying monthly dividends the defendants being directors of said company wrongfully ceased to declare dividends upon such stock and wrongfully and falsely misrepresented to the public that the business of [illegible] be profitable and that therefore no dividends were declared whereby the market value of said stock was depreciated and the plaintiff was induced to sell said stock for 72 cents upon the dollar of its par value to his damage the sum which would represent the difference between the amount for which the stock sold and its real value. That it was immaterial what the defendant did with the profits owned by the company and therefore it was irrelevant and immaterial to allege that they built the steamship *Oregon* with them in the name of another or otherwise or what was done with said steamer or the proceeds thereof.

That it was not material to the plaintiff's right to recover whether other stockholders were induced by the conduct of the defendants to sell their stock below its real value or not or whether there was a conspiracy by the defendants to defraud the small stockholders or not and therefore all allegations to that effect were immaterial.

That it was not material to the plaintiff's right of action whether the defendants committed the alleged wrongs with intent to thereby give themselves and their confidential friends and confederates an opportunity to purchase said stock at a great discount for their own benefit or not and therefore all allegations to that effect are immaterial.

CIRCUIT COURT AT ST HELENS.

A term of the Circuit Court was held at St Helens last week, Judge Shattuck presiding, and the docket containing 29 cases was nearly cleared. The disposition of most of the causes tried was as follows:

Jones vs Musgrove; jury disagreed.

Heirs of Charles North vs Dean Blanchard; settled and dismissed.

Same vs Dibblee; same proceedings.

S A Miles vs Carr et ux; decree of foreclosure.

S A Miles vs A Dickard; same order.

S A Miles vs J McNulty et ux, judgment for plaintiff.

S A Miles vs S D Miles and Laura Weatherby; continued for service.

John Fine and Joseph Trideaux were admitted to citizenship.

E W Creasy vs C A Bradbury; decree of foreclosure.

State vs. I A Kemp; defendant ordered discharged from his bonds to keep the peace.

State vs J W Campbell; defendant charged with assault with a dangerous weapon; tried and acquitted.

State vs P M Carney; grand jury returned not a true bill, and defendant discharged.

M M Guy vs W. W. West; action for slander dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

M J Gleason vs Thomas Ellington; judgment for defendant.

John McPherson vs W W West; judgment for defendant.

Stephen Holmes vs W H Musgrove; judgment for plaintiff for $170 and costs.

John Campbell vs Columbia county; judgment for defendant on the pleadings.

F O Perry vs E G Ingalls; juror taken sick during trial and cause continued for the term.

F H Watts vs O E Bacon; judgment for plaintiff by default.

T O Watt vs Wm. Pickering, et al; judgment for plaintiff by default.

T H Taylor vs Jos Cunningham; transferred to Multnomah county for trial.

F A McBride vs A Muller; same order.

B F Giltner vs Silas Calhoon; judgment for plaintiff.

J C Gilbreath vs Susan C Gilbreath; decree of divorce.

Susan R Cloninger vs D A Cloninger; decree of divorce and $1,000 alimony.

The grand jury was empanneled and in charge and after a session of an hour and a half, returned in one cause not a true bill and having no other business were discharged.

SOMETHING NEW.

The new style of promenade photographs. These beautiful pictures are now made at Bosco & Megler's new rooms Nos 12[illegible] and 120, First street. Call and examine them.

During the warm weather there is nothing better nor more cooling than a drink of soda water from Gibson & Co's Arctic.

M ROSENBLATT Clothier has just returned from San Francisco with a large stock of Spring Goods—particularly Boys and Youths Clothing at lower rates than ever. Call and see before purchasing. The store is No 71 Front street.

NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE.

The Pacific Branch Permanently Established in San Francisco

Since the first visit of Dr H J Allen the founder of the National Surgical Institute to this coast nearly two years ago it has been the intention of the Institute to establish a Branch in San Francisco. The subsequent visits of other Surgeons of the Institute and the unparalleled success which attended them has served only to strengthen the project. After the expenditure of much time, labor and money in preparing instruments, machinery, etc the Pacific Branch is at last permanently established and will be open for the reception of patients by the middle of this month. For the present, and until further notice the business will be continued at their old building, No 319 Bush street between Kearny and Montgomery, San Francisco. The machinery for the Swedish movement and vacuum cure, Galvanic and Electrical apparatus and for giving the Electro Thermal Turkish Vapor and other baths has all been received from the East (where it was manufactured for the Institute in machine shops) and is rapidly being placed in position. Dr J M Hinkle one of the oldest and most successful surgeons of the Institute, with Dr Thos Mayon and a corps of skilled assistants are already in San Francisco and will remain there in charge of the Branch Institute, consequently no further questions need be raised or fears apprehended concerning the permanency and efficiency of the *Pacific Branch*.

Dr Allen will visit the Institute in San Francisco on the [illegible]th of this month and remain until the 10th of May following, during which time he will be pleased to consult the old patients now under treatment, and as many new cases as possible. The Institute is especially prepared to treat all Deformities and Surgical cases, Chronic Disease, etc.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CLARENDON HOTEL

J S Kelly, East Portland
H Jackson, Umatilla
R Mallory & wife, Salem
Master Mallory, do
C W Harris, do
Nathan White, do
P Burrell, St Jo
Miss McC[illegible], N Yamhill
G W Clark, do
Miss Alice Blake, Albany
Miss Francis Blake, do
C W Blake, do
Charles Willey, do
C B Purdon, do
C A Gillihan, Bethel, Polk county
J Richardson, Montreal
Mrs Lagrone, Oregon City
Miss Lagrone, do
Theo Woodcock, Dalles
J H McDonald, do
H B Creek, do
H M Beale, [illegible]
Mrs Doherty, do
Wm L Phillips, O C R R
H Smith, Harrisburg
J H Bellinger, Roseburg
J Miller, do
Morris Blass, S F
J H Claypool, Albany
Miss Alice Remington, Albany
Frank Smith, New York
H W Smith, [illegible]

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL

Thos Kelly, Salem
J Hatch, Oregon City
F O Brien, Vancouver
J O Brien, do
J Bresman, Fairfield
J Vanduger, Independence
J A Ripperton, Salem
L F Grover, do
Mrs English, Albany
Miss A B Webber, Bay View
M B Webber, Bay View
P D Palmer, Salem
A Coolidge, Silverton
J T Officer, Astoria
W A Baskett, Rickreall
N J Baskett, do
G J White, ship Sussex
J Blanchet, Dalles
Mrs Woodson, Amity
A J Duller, Dalles

NATIONAL HOTEL

Jas Hopkins, Milwaukie
J J Domes, do
W H Hayden, Sandy
R F Watson, Yakima
H M[illegible]per, do
L Rosa, Scappoose
S T Gosa, do
T H Gamish, Olympia
Geo Ware, Nebraska
W O St John, Olympia
C Curry, Washington Co
T J Meheron, Col City
W T Vaun, Turners
D Allyn, Kalama
S Phillips, Beaverton
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JUST BEFORE SUNRISE.

Night's wavering star, in heaven afar,
With growing pearl is blending,
And up the hight of sky the light
In streaks is rich ascending.

The village wakes; each roof outbreaks
In smoke-wreaths upward curling;
And join the mist by the soft light kissed
From the smooth pond unfurling.

Bold chanticleer chokes out his cheer,
His nodding neck a glitter;
With strutting gait then seeks his mate,
Scratching amid the litter.

The oxen start the creaking cart
To the hay-field in the hollow;
And toper Jake reels, half awake,
His morning dram to swallow.

The ale house red is open spread,
Where, deep in cackling tattle,
The patriarchs sit at twilight's flit,
While lads drive home the cattle.

From the crossing road to his green abode
The Deacon slow emerges,
And toward the door of the corner store
His pacing pony urges.

With eggs and butter and fowls a-flutter,
While Bob at the manger battens,
Within he goes, with daughter Rose,
To choose her silks and satins.

In fleecy lock, on trip the flock,
Or pause the grass to nibble;
While on the walk blends manly talk
With childhood's merry treble.

Shrill shrieking pup comes dashing up,
Stops, grins as if in banter;
His fore foot rears, pecks sharp his ears,
Then off in three legged canter.

Geese biting, stoop with necks a-loop;
Boys scrambling by and fighting;
With many's dove from the blue above
On dainty toes alighting.

With sleepy quack, from the corn-house back,
In a nook of the farm-yard lurking,
The ducks march out and feed about,
Their crescent bodies jerking.

Toils up the lane the lurching wain,
The hay dome homeward bringing;
While with pin hook, along the brook,
A lad his line is swinging.

And heed and hear, in warbles clear,
The bobolink in the meadow,
Now seen, now lost, as his sheen is crossed
By sunshine or by shadow.

The robin's song floats sweet and long
From the old crooked apple,
Where Brindle lies and whisks the flies,
Mottled in dancing dapple.

And now the sun the hill has won,
When he pours out his splendor;
And grateful nature in every creature
Thanks the Great Giver render.

—*Alfred B. Street, in the Galaxy for April.*

PROVERBS OF TRUTH.

A bad workman quarrels with his tools.

Adversity flattereth no man.

A fault confessed is half redressed.

After breakfast work awhile.

After dinner sit awhile.

After supper walk a mile.

A wise layer-up is a wise layer-out.

A good name keeps its lustre in the dark.

A guilty conscience needs no accuser.

A light purse is a heavy curse.

A little leak will sink a big ship.

All are not friends that speak us fair.

All lay loads on the willing horse.

A man may hold his tongue at the wrong time.

A man may buy gold too dear.

Always put your saddle on the right horse.

An honest man's word is as good as his bond.

An hour in the morning is worth two in the afternoon.

An oak tree is not felled with one blow.

A nod from a lord is a breakfast for a fool.

An ounce of mother wit is worth a pound of book learning.

An unlawful oath is better broken than kept.

A quiet conscience sleeps in thunder.

Be slow to promise but quick to perform.

Better go around than fall in a ditch.

Better go alone than in bad company.

Better go to bed supperless than get up in debt.

Borrowed clothes never fit.

Charity begins at home but does not end there.

Catch the bear before you sell his skin.

Cut your coat according to your cloth.

Deeds are fruits, words are but leaves.

Dependence is a poor trade to follow.

Debt is the worst kind of poverty.

Diligence commands success.

Doing nothing is doing ill.

Do not rip up old sores.

Do unto others as you would have them do to you.

Everybody's business is nobody's business.

Every couple is not a pair.

Everything is good in its season.

False friends are worse than open enemies.

Fire and water are good servants but bad masters.

Fortune knocks once at least at every man's gate.

Give a rogue rope enough and he will hang himself.

Great barkers are no biters.

Great gain and little pain makes a man weary.

Have your cloak made before it begins to rain.

Home is home be it ever so homely.

Hope is a good breakfast but a bad supper.

Idle folks have the least leasure.

Let not your tongue cut your throat.

Live not to eat but eat to live.

Liars are not to be believed when they tell the truth.

Make hay while the sun shines.

Never light your candle at both ends.

Never make a mountain out of a mole hill.

Never split wood against the grain.

None are so deaf as those who will not hear.

One bad example spoils many good precepts.

One eye witness is better than ten hearsays.

One hour's sleep before midnight is worth two after.

One is not so soon healed as hurt.

Patience and time run through the longest day.

Praise a fair day and night.

Quick at meat quick at work.

Reckless youth makes rueful age.

Short reckonings make long friends.

Strike while the iron is hot.

Temperance is the best physic.

The best physicians are Dr. Diet, Dr. Quiet and Dr. Merryman.

'Tis the second blow that makes the fray.

Welcome is the best cheer.

When the will is ready the foot is light.

Where there is a will there is a way.

What may be done at any time is never done.

There is a vacancy in the Naval Academy from the State of Oregon, and Col. George La Dow has been requested by the Secretary of the Navy to recommend a candidate for appointment. Here is a chance for some lad from Oregon to be educated at the expense of the United States. He must be over 14 and under 18 years of age when examined for admission, and the recommendation must be made prior to the 1st of July next, because after that date it becomes the duty of the Secretary of the Navy to fill the vacancy himself. Accepted candidates will be required to report for examination at the Naval Academy in June next. They must pass a satisfactory examination in reading, writing, orthography, arithmetic and English grammar. For full and additional particulars apply to Col. La Dow, Pendleton, Oregon.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, April 19, 1875.

Gold in New York, 115¼.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 87½; selling 88½.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco 1½ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ¼ of 1 per cent. premium.

Coin Exchange on New York 1 per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on New York 1½ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Gold Bars 800.

Latest Liverpool wheat quotations are 9s 3d@9s 7d for average California, and 9s 5d@9s 11d for club.

The week opens with no important fluctuations in our local money market. The slowness with which the spring's business opened has retarded movements of a financial character, and low prices, which have prevailed for domestic produce, have also tended to check any significant buoyancy in monetary affairs. The demand for loanable funds at present is mostly limited to those who are engaged in manufacturing enterprises or improvements, and is readily supplied on the usual terms.

It is reported from Washington that between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 in silver will be coined at the mints the current month. Gold rates for silver coins in New York are: trade dollars, 99@100; half-dollars, 94½@95; quarter-dollars and dimes, 93@95.

The money market of San Francisco, at latest mail dates, was working easier. There were large disbursements there last week and week before last, opening with the disbursement by the Consolidated Virginia Co. of over one million dollars. The local insurance companies also paid their quarterly dividends, and the increase of the volume of circulation, was quite manifest at the close of the week.

The course of trade in our home market is unchanged since last week and with a moderate increase in the value of shipments to the interior, the expectation of most dealers is realized even, if there is not the activity which might be desired. Buyers who seek supplies in this market this spring are confining themselves as closely as usual to staple goods, though the necessities of the trade are not overlooked in any particular. The jobbers in dry goods are doing a very fair amount of business and it is said are working on the very smallest possible living margin. In groceries the trade is steady and equal in the aggregate to former years, though its growth in our city has not shown the same proportions as that in dry goods. The dealers in agricultural goods and machinery find an increasing demand for their wares which are in full stock. The importations of this class of goods being confined to fewer firms than most other lines of trade, give it an advantage which is quite obvious. Boots and shoes are in fair way to recover from the late dullness, and though sales are not individually large the aggregate transactions are pretty fair.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme, from San Francisco, will be due to-morrow evening.

The steamship California, now on a voyage to Fort Wrangell, will transfer her freight and passengers for this place to the Gussie Telfair, at Victoria, and return from the last named place to the northward, not coming to Portland.

The Telfair will leave Portland for Victoria next Friday. She will transfer her passengers and freight for Sitka and Fort Wrangell to the California at Victoria.

The barkentine Melancthon, from San Francisco, reached her berth this morning and is discharging at Flanders' wharf.

The British ship Sussex, being loaded at Astoria by Messrs. Corbitt & Macleay, will finish in a couple of days more.

The schooner Superior is lying at Flanders' wharf.

The British ship Ophir is reported to have sailed from Bombay for this port. Date of sailing not given.

The bark Clara, hence with a cargo of wheat, arrived at Hull, England, on the 1st inst., via Queenstown.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19, 1 P. M.—Flour—Extra, $5 50.

Wheat—Choice, $1 70@1 75.

Barley—Feed, $1 40@1 45; brewing, $1 47½@1 55.

Oats—Fair to choice feed, $1 95@2 15; choice, $2 05@2 15.

Hay—$10@17.

Feed—Bran, $19; middlings, $27 50.

Potatoes—Choice $2 15.

Wool—Market active—18@23c for fair to good spring clip.

EXPORTS.

Per British ship Araunco, for Liverpool, dispatched April 17th by Rogers, Meyer & Co., 10,016 bbls flour, valued at $40,064.

Per British ship Pactolus, for the United Kingdom, for orders dispatched April 17th by Henry Hewett & Co., 58,011 bushels wheat, valued at $49,598 55.

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IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT of Oregon. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of O. E. Farnsworth and W. P. Dutton, bankrupts, District of Oregon, ss.—Notice is hereby given that O. E. Farnsworth and W. P. Dutton, the above-named bankrupts, have filed their petition in said Court for a meeting of their creditors to submit propositions of composition in accordance with the 17th section of the amendment to the Bankrupt Act, approved June 22, 1874, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at the office of H. H. Northup, Register in Bankruptcy, Room 8 in Dekum's Building, in Portland, on the first day of May, A. D. 1875, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purposes prayed for in said petition, where all parties in interest may attend.

H. H. NORTHUP, Register.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of G. Kohlberg, bankrupt. I hereby give notice that the final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland, in said District, on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1875, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purpose named in the twenty seventh section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867. I also give notice that I will file my final account as Assignee of said estate in said Court, and that on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1875, I shall apply to said Court for settlement of my said accounts, and for a discharge from all liabilities as Assignee of said estate in accordance with provisions of the twenty-eighth section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of Henry C. Morrice, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—At Portland, the 16th day of April, A. D. 1875.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Henry C. Morrice, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon petition of his creditors, by the District Court of said District.

SETH L. POPE, Assignee.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7:30 A. M.	Roseburg	7:10 P. M.
Roseburg	5:00 A. M.	Portland	4:15 P. M.

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DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	3:50 P. M.	Albany	8:25 P. M.
Albany	5:30 A. M.	Portland	10:05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

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Junction	5:15 A. M.	Portland	5:15 P. M.

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E. P. ROGERS, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

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To take Effect Monday, March 29, 1875,

Trains will run between

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
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St. Joseph	6:30 A. M.	Portland	10:30 A. M.

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Tacoma	6:30 A. M.	Kalama	12:40 P. M.

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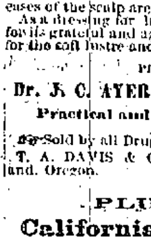

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Ordinance No. 1613.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving that part of Ash street lying between the west line of Front street and the center of Fourth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of Ash street lying between the west line of Front street and the center of Fourth street, shall be completed as hereinafter provided on or before the 20th day of May, 1875.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions, and the sidewalks of the proper width and grade, and otherwise in good condition; [illegible] if the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets, they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of grading, laying sidewalks, planking the entire roadway and intersections, with box gutters across the intersections.

Section 4. The grading and planking of the roadway and intersections shall correspond as nearly as practicable to the provisions of Sections No. 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Ordinance No. 1250, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving that part of D street lying between North Fourth and North Sixth streets."

Section 5. The provisions of sections 7, 11 and 12 of Ordinance No. 793 entitled [illegible] shall apply relation to the improvement of streets, shall apply to the manner of laying the sidewalks and to all the number and material used in the improvement provided for by this Ordinance.

Section 6. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 7. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 8. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder for, the improvement provided for in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council April 7, 1875.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved April 9, 1875.

HENRY FAILING, Mayor.

Pine Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to construct a Sewer in Pine Street of Terra Cotta pipe, nine inches in diameter from Fourth street to the west side of Second street, and of twelve inches diameter from thence to the Willamette river, with suitable inlets and catch basins, the expense thereof to be assessed upon the property benefited.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

April 10, 1875. a10d10d

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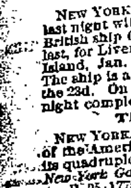

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Washington St., one door [illegible]

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, District of Oregon. Notice is hereby given that [illegible] the matter of John Barnett, [illegible] hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Conser & Barnett, [illegible] under the Act of Congress [illegible] discharge and certificate [illegible] debts and liabilities and other [illegible] on said act, and that the [illegible] 1875, is assigned for the hearing [illegible] H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in [illegible] office in Portland, in said district, [illegible] creditors may attend and show cause, [illegible] have, why the prayer of said petition [illegible] granted. al4d1aw3t

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. [illegible] of his appointment [illegible] at the city of Portland, on the [illegible] 1875, the undersigned hereby [illegible] appointment as Assignee of [illegible] W. P. Dutton, of Portland, in the [illegible] and State of Oregon, [illegible] have been adjudged Bankrupt [illegible] tition. [illegible] S. FARRELL. al4d1aw3w

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

The Panama and Pacific Mail Co.'s Settlements.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The representatives of the Panama railroad and Pacific Mail companies another meeting Saturday for the purpose of to arrive at an adjustment of their difficulties. only difference unadjusted was in regard t division of earnings on through freight. It i dictated both sides made concessions, and a contract is to be made this week.

The Garrett-Scott War.

NEW YORK, April 19.—A railroad war has been begun between the Baltimore and Oh Philadelphia, growing out of the latest road to make pro rata rates with the former on ern freight and passengers.

Suicide of a Wealthy Farmer.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 19.—Charles W man, aged 88 years, a wealthy farmer and citizen of North Kingston, committed suicide yesterday morning in his barn by hanging.

Wreck of the Ship Cornwallis.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The ship Dauntless last night with the crew and merchandise British ship Cornwallis, from San Francisco last, for Liverpool, which was wrecked Island, Jan. 23d, but none of the crew The ship is a total wreck. She struck on the 23d. On the 25th she began to break up night completely disappeared.

The Herald's Fac-Simile.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The Herald to-day of the American Centennial Anniversary, to quadruple sheet by reproducing New-York Gazette, bearing date of April 25, 1775; also an extra sheet of April 25, 1775, containing the particulars of the battle of Concord. The Herald's anniversary to be this day celebrated at

George William Curtis' Oration.

LEXINGTON, April 19.—Following is a summary of the oration delivered to-day by George W. Curtis at the centennial celebration: "We are [illegible]

Excitement in the Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 19.—To-day the stock was excited over reports that the Panama Railroad Company had chartered the White Star steamers, and this stock, which closed at on Saturday at 128, rose this afternoon to 148.

Northern Pacific Railway in the Hands of a Receiver.

NEW YORK, April 19.—A bill in equity was days since filed in the United States Circuit by Judge Shipman by Jay Cooke and others, companies against the Northern Pacific Road Company, asking the appointment of a receiver. Judge Shipman has granted an order appointing Hon. G. W. Cass receiver, providing that he give in the sum of $100,000 for the faithful charge of his duties.

Another Ulceration in Louisiana Politics.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—Much discussion some excitement was produced in political circles [illegible]

More Mexican Raids.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 19.—A special from Corpus Christi says that a band of Mexicans are reported to be robbing and stealing horses between Brownsville and [illegible] Brownsville. Firing was heard at Brazos [illegible] arrived here last night bringing [illegible] started to meet the raiders.

The Cold Snap Continues.

EUOLA, Ala., April 19.—A heavy frost here yesterday, and continues to-day. [illegible] been killed. [illegible]

Damages by Frost at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 19.—The frost has caused great damage to cotton and crops. Loss estimated at $500,000.

How Virginia Suffers.

DANVILLE, Va., April 19.—Reports here from all the fruit growing sections of here and Greensboro. Fruits of all kinds killed by the cold spell, and the tobacco also suffered severely.

Better Prospects on the Union Pacific.

OMAHA, April 19.—With the present prospects, General Superintendent Clark of the U. P. R. R. hopes to be able to start the trains to the break and make a transfer by boats about 24 hours. The water continues to fall [illegible]

THE TILTON-BEECHER TRIAL.

General Items in the Trial.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The Beecher trial sumed to-day. Fullerton and Beach were Several witnesses are still to be examined defense. [illegible]

NEW YORK, April 19.—The Beecher trial sumed to-day. Fullerton and Beach were present. In [illegible]

Beecher's Cross-Examination.

To-day Fullerton showed witness the letter Tilton known as the "nest-hiding" letter and the "one" letter. Regarding the former coming of spring and the singing of birds [illegible]

WASHINGTON CITY.

Same Old Accounts Called Up.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—In reply to a circular of the chief of ordnance, U. S. Army, to the Governors of the different States, asking statement as to a portion of the arms [illegible] the States in possession of the States, furnished to aid in suppressing the rebellion, and standing charged against them, the Governor of California is the first to respond. California is indebted to the United States on the above $184,000. The statement of the Governor that there is now in the possession of the State, ties, guns, equipments, etc., amounting to $ which leaves a balance to the credit of the